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**Schools Should be Made Centre of Social Life in the Community**

That the schools should be made the centre of the social life of the community in which they are situated and that the future welfare of this country depends upon the education of the children of the country were the main themes of an interesting and thoughtful address which was delivered last week by Walter Murray, Ph.D., president of the university of Saskatchewan, to the delegates of the convention of South Central Alberta Teachers' association, held at Cayley. Dr. Murray took as his subject: "The social mission of the school." The speaker said there were great problems that had to be solved in the school and the duties that devolved upon the teachers were very onerous and responsible but it was their duty to perform these obligations.

We are here to make homes as well as to make money and the duties we are called upon to perform in the east. They are pouring into this western country peoples and races, languages and customs; they are coming in vast numbers and our national problem is far greater in this country than that which the United States has had to contend with. In the United States they came and settled in the large cities, they met on the streets the American citizens and learned their ideas, their customs and institutions. In this country they came and settled in groups and remained by themselves. Their opportunities for mixing with the people were fewer and therefore the sole hope for this country is in the schools.

We were already recognizing that our school organizations should take steps for the promotion of public health and another way in which this should be met was in our curricula, the courses of study being adjusted to meet these demands. Take, for instance, nature study; the child should not only be taught about animal life but about human life around him.

He believed that domestic science was another subject that should be taught in the schools, and such a subject would be easier to teach in the rural communities as most of the teachers in the country were women.

Dr. Murray concluded by saying that there was nothing so important as the character of the teacher. People had no ideas how quick the children were to see the effect that a good teacher had upon the pupils. Better results would accrue if the teachers came into closer contact with the parents.

The oil strikes in the Athabasca country and near Okotoks may not realize all the hopes of those interested in them. But few have any doubt that the day is close at hand when Alberta will be producing oil in such quantities as to attract the attention of the whole world.

**Spooks Around**

Cayley at the present time is experiencing a series of surprises and exciting episodes, which keeps its inhabitants guessing as to what is going to happen next. First came the skiddoo of the landlord of the hotel, the closing out of the bar and boarders, and locking the doors. On the top of this comes the mysterious disappearance of brand new wagon from one part of the village, a set of harness from another part, and still a saddle from another part—all taking place during the bewitching hour of midnight on Friday last, and more mysterious still was the perpetrator, all of which began to give our citizens a sort of a creepy feeling, and a whispered cogitation as to what was going to happen next, some of the boys having a "scart" foreboding that their "Sunday best" that might be spirited away soon. But after a consultation of the law-abiding citizens it was agreed that the aforesaid articles could not have disappeared by themselves, and the services of the village police were brought into requisition, who was soon on the trail of the night hawk, the trail leading to High River, where the missing articles were located. Next was the finding of the culprit. While in hot pursuit, his ulbs was quietly sitting in a buggy on the street in Cayley, no doubt watching the search with interest. With suddenness, however, the strong arm of the law held him in its strong embrace, and he was quickly transferred from the buggy to the village refrigerator. On Tuesday he was brought before Sergt. Tucker. The prisoner pleaded guilty to taking the said articles, but made the excuse that he was drunk at the time and did not know what he was doing, but that did not go down with the Sergt. who sentenced him to six months imprisonment. It was ascertained that the prisoner, who went by the name of Ford, and who had been working around Cayley during the harvest, came from Edmonton, where he had a wife and family—hence the lightness of the sentence.

"It may not be easy," says the London Financial News, "to secure unity of counsel between the Motherland and her overseas children, but it is essential if the empire is to possess and maintain a navy worthy of her great position. There is no need for the supreme authority to trench in any way upon local autonomy. Premier Borden has already made that point clear and it is unthinkable that Canada can be permanently blind to their anomaly of her present position." It is less than a year since Mr. Borden made his epoch-making announcement and sober second thought among many of those who most strongly protested against his ideas is gradually coming around to his support.

The Lethbridge News remarks that one thing the people of Alberta have to be thankful for is that J. D. McArthur did not ask for more than \$20,000 a mile to build the A. & G. W. railway. If he had wanted twice as much the obliging premier would have given it to him.

It is said that England contemplates building big canal through Columbian territory.

**Thanksgiving Supper and Concert**

The Thanksgiving supper and concert provided by the ladies guild of the Presbyterian church on Monday evening last, was, like many of its predecessors, a great success, the ladies evidencing the fact once more, that they have lost none of their cunning in the culinary art, of being both excellent cooks and at entertainers, and the large crowds present was evidence enough that their efforts were fully appreciated. A word of praise is due to Oliver Grant in his excellent and very tasty decorations of the hall for the special occasion. They were greatly admired. The concert fully sustained Cayley's enviable reputation as a musical centre and educational ability in entertaining the public, and the several pieces on the programme were all well received and encored. Our Sandy Durham, as usual, "brought down the house" in his rendition of the song "That's the reason I wear the kilts," and also in his encore "Rising early in the morning." The Rev. Mr. McInnis who was chairman, made some very appropriate remarks during the evening, which were much appreciated. This was the rev. gentleman's last public appearance in Cayley as one of its citizens, Mr. McInnis moving to Granum this week. Altogether a very enjoyable evening was spent. Following was the programme: Chorus—"Canada Ever"..... Song "That's the reason I wear the kilts"..... A. Durham Song—"Auld Plaid Shaw"..... Miss Stirling Recitation—"The turkey's soliloquy"..... Miss E. Kellar Chairman's Remarks..... Song—"Angus Macdonald"..... Mrs. Eason Piano solo..... Miss E. Robertson Song..... Mrs. Wildput Violin solo..... Mr. Barnett Song..... Mr. Coote God Save the King

The new schedule of license fees to be exacted from clubs and hotels in the province was presented to the legislature Saturday by Hon. C. W. Cross, attorney-general. The new fees are: Hotels, in places where population is over 10,000 people, \$800 per year; other places, \$400; bottling works, over 10,000, \$400; other places, \$200; breweries, \$5,000. Club licenses will be: Population of 20,000 or over, \$800; between 10,000 and 20,000, \$400; other places, \$250.

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### Local News

Mr. G. Sexsmith of Blackie was  
a Cayley visitor this week.

Mrs. M. Crawford was visiting  
friends in Stavely over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nablo of  
Calgary spent the holiday at the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Caspell.

Miss Mason of Vulcan and J.  
Cohen motored over to Cayley  
Thanksgiving Day.

Most of the threshing outfits  
in this district have pulled in for  
the winter.

We are pleased to announce  
that Miss McConkey is recovering  
from her late serious illness.

A special welcome is extended  
to everybody to attend the Cay-  
ley Sunday school at 3 p.m. every  
Sunday in the Methodist church.

The undenominational Sunday  
school convention takes place in  
Knox church, Lethbridge, from  
the 27th to the 29th inst.

Both of our public school  
teachers, Mr. Burnett and Miss  
McLennan, attended the teachers  
convention held at Calgary last  
week.

Elves—At Cayley, on Thurs-  
day, the 10th inst., to Mr. and  
Mrs. J. Elves, a daughter. On  
the same day Jack installed a very  
handsome new piano in his home  
thus making early provision for  
his daughter's musical education.

A party of Cayleyites were out  
bright and early and away to the  
hills afishing Thanksgiving morn-  
ing. It is said, however, that the  
only bite they got was at the  
turkey supper in the evening at  
the hall.

L. Beaton installed a fine piano  
in his home last week.

Cayley hotel still looks at  
night—

Dry!  
Dark!  
Dismal!  
Discouraging—but no  
Drinking, or  
Drunkards from there in our  
Domain!

Rev. Mr. McInnis, late pastor  
of the Presbyterian church here,  
gave his farewell sermon last  
Sunday evening in the Methodist  
church, the building being packed  
to the doors. The rev. gentle-  
man's theme was "Church union,"  
for which he takes a decided  
stand. His remarks were timely  
and full of common sense. We  
are sorry to lose him and his  
estimable wife from Cayley.

"Oh what denomination are de  
chile?" asked an old coloured  
preacher of a young coloured  
couple, who had brought an in-  
fant to him for baptism.

"Sah?" said the young father,  
evidently perplexed by the word  
"denomination."

"I axed you ob what denomina-  
tion de chile war," repeated the  
minister, a little severely.

The parents looked at each  
other in evident confusion for a  
moment; then the father stam-  
mered out: "I—I doesn't know  
what you mean by 'denomina-  
tion,' sah."

"Hough' yo' don't," replied the  
preacher, scornfully. "Well, den,  
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